

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph starting on page 2, line 4 with the following amended paragraph:

The applicant of the present application has proposed a method of and an apparatus for packaging a rolled article to manufacture a light-shielded photosensitive roll of the type described above. One method and apparatus for packaging a rolled article is , as disclosed in Japanese laid-open patent publication No. 2003-26113. The disclosed method and apparatus make it possible to wind a packaging sheet neatly and efficiently around a rolled article according to a simple process with a simple arrangement.